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TITLE: Processes for Making Ethanol

APPLICANT(S) FOR RO/US: Henderson at al.

## **EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATE**

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- Transmittal Letter to the DO/EO/US (in duplicate) 1.
- 2. **Application Data Sheet**
- 3. **Preliminary Amendment**

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

## TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

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Sir:

This is a request for filing a patent application under 35 U.S.C. 371 of the international application identified below:

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/US2004/030277		INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE September 15, 2004			
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APPLICANT(S)/INVENTOR(S)					
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2. Don	2.		2. Higgins		
3.	3.		3.		
TITLE OF THE INVENTION					
Processes for Making Ethanol					

- 1. This is a first submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 2. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)).
- 3. The US has been elected.
- 4. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) has been communicated by the International Bureau.

Specification	36 Pages
Abstract	1 Pages
Sequence Listing	0 Pages
Drawings	0 Pages
Total	37 Pages

- 5. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) have not been made and will not be made. An application data sheet is enclosed.
- 6. The benefit of U.S. provisional application no. 60/504,034 filed on September 13, 2003 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119(e).



- 7. A Preliminary Amendment is submitted herewith.
- 8. The assignee of the present application is:

Novozymes North America, Inc. 77 Perry Chapel Church Road, P.O. Box 576 Franklinton, NC 27525 US

Applicants request that the assignee information be included in the published patent application.

- 9. Direct all correspondence to Customer Number 25908.
- 10. The following fees are submitted:

BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)):

Basic Fee:	\$300.00
Examination Fee:	\$200.00
Search Fee:	\$500.00
Size Fee (\$250 for each 50 pages above 100)	\$0.00
CLAIMS FEE	
Total Claims: 20 - 20 = 0 x 50 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims: 1 - 3 = 0 x 200 =	\$0.00
Total Claims Fee:	\$0.00
TOTAL NATIONAL FFF	\$1,000,00

11. Please charge the required fee, estimated to be \$1,000, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: March 20, 2006

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